# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

KEVIN CORNWELL, Individually and On Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Civil Action No. 08-cv-03758 (Consolidated)

Plaintiff,

**CLASS ACTION** 

VS.

CREDIT SUISSE GROUP, et al.,

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF JONATHAN
GARDNER FILED ON BEHALF OF
LABATON SUCHAROW LLP IN SUPPORT
OF APPLICATION FOR AWARD OF
ATTORNEYS' AND EXPENSES

## I, JONATHAN GARDNER, declare as follows:

- I am a member of the law firm of Labaton Sucharow LLP. I am submitting this
  declaration in support of my firm's application for an award of attorneys' fees and expenses in
  connection with services rendered in the above-entitled action.
- 2. This firm is additional counsel for Plaintiffs in this Litigation and acted at the direction of Lead Counsel.
- 3. The identification and background of my firm, its partners, and of counsel attorneys is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 4. The total number of hours spent on this litigation by my firm is 332.7. The total lodestar amount for attorney/paralegal time based on the firm's current rates is \$222,549.00. The hourly rates shown below are the usual and customary rates charged for each individual in all of our cases. A breakdown of the lodestar is as follows:

			TOTAL HOURS	TOTAL LODESTAR TO
NAME	STATUS	RATE	TO DATE	DATE
Sucharow, L.	P	\$865	10.2	\$8,823.00
Keller. C.	P	\$740	130.4	96,496.00
Belfi, E.	P	\$690	101.4	69,966.00
Gardner, J.	P	\$675	29.9	20,182.50
Scarlato, P.	OC	\$615	16.0	9,840.00
Goldman, M.	OC	\$615	5.6	3,444.00
Villegas, C.	A	\$415	10.4	4,316.00
Smith, P.	A	\$400	3.0	1,200.00
Hector, N.	A	\$340	10.1	3,434.00
Malonzo, F.	PL	\$325	12.7	4,127.50
Buffong, M.	PL	\$240	3.0	720.00
TOTAL			332.7	\$222,549.00

Partner (P) Associate (A)
Of Counsel (OC) Paralegal (PL)

5. My firm incurred a total of \$10,866.72 in expenses in connection with the prosecution of this litigation. They are broken down as follows:

# **EXPENSES**

# From Inception to June 17, 2011

EXPENSE CATEGORY	TOTAL
Meals, Hotels & Transportation	\$7,544.93
Photocopies	\$24.00
Postage	\$16.32
Telephone, Facsimile	\$53.96
Filing, Witness & Other Fees	\$50.00
Westlaw, Online Library Research	\$177.51
Outside Experts/Consultants	
Forensic Economics, Inc. (loss causation/damages)	\$3,000.00
TOTAL	\$10,866.72

- 6. The following is additional information regarding these expenses:
  - (a) Filing, Witness and Other Fees: \$50.00.

DATE	VENDOR
6/30/10	U.S. District Court Clerk - SDNY
7/19/10	U.S. District Court Clerk - SDNY

(b) Meals, Hotels and Transportation: \$7,544.93. Expenses for out-of-town meals, hotels and transportation were incurred for the following purposes:

NAME	DATE	<b>DESTINATION</b>	PURPOSE
Eric Belfi	7/8/09	Dunlin, Ireland	Meeting with client
Lawrence Sucharow	7/8/09	Dublin, Ireland	Meeting with client
Eric Belfi	4/3/10	Dublin, Ireland	Meeting with client

- (c) Photocopying: In-house (120 copies @ \$0.20 per copy): \$24.00
- (d) Westlaw, Online Library Research: \$177.51. These included vendors such as Westlaw and Pacer Service Center. These databases were used to obtain access to legal filings, legal research and information for cite-checking of briefs. The charges for these vendors vary depending upon the type of services requested.

7. The expenses pertaining to this case are reflected in the books and records of my firm. These books and records are prepared from expense vouchers, check records and other documents and are an accurate record of the expenses.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 2011 at New York, New York.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on June 27, 2011, I authorized the electronic filing of the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the e-mail addresses denoted on the attached Electronic Mail Notice List, and I hereby certify that I caused to be mailed the foregoing document or paper via the United States Postal Service to the non-CM/ECF participants indicated on the attached Manual Notice List.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on June 27, 2011.

s/ Ellen Gusikoff Stewart

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